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Sir:

The Applicants respond to the Examiner's Interview Summary Reference Citation dated August 27, 2007 and the Office Action dated July 5, 2007, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

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Please amend the application as follows: